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In re Application of: Kazunori ABE

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For: Electronic Endoscope Apparatus Adaptable to Endoscopes
Equipped With Imaging Device With Different Pixel Density

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UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53

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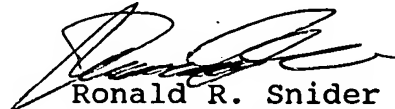
Enclosed are the following items for filing with the above-referenced pending U.S. Patent Application, in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application:

1. Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
3. Recordation Form Cover Sheet
4. Assignment and fee of \$40.00
5. Transmittal and certified copy of priority document (Japanese Patent Application 2001-001828, filed 01-09-2001)
6. Check to cover the basic filing fee of \$740.00 plus the surcharge of \$130.00 and \$40.00 fee for Recordation, in the total amount of \$910.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2816. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Having now complied with all requirements of 37 CFR §1.53, Applicant(s) respectfully request that this application be examined.

Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.**

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